

ITEM: 21

SUBJECT: U.S. Department Of Defense, Defense Logistics Agency, Defense Distribution Depot San Joaquin, Sharpe Groundwater Remediation System, Time Schedule Order To Comply With Order No. R5-2002-213 (Npdes Permit No. Ca0081931), San Joaquin County

BOARD ACTION: *Consideration of Time Schedule Order*

BACKGROUND: The Defense Distribution Depot San Joaquin-Sharpe (DDJC-Sharpe) operates a groundwater remediation system to extract and treat volatile organic compounds that are present in groundwater beneath and immediately down gradient of their facility in Lathrop, California. DDJC-Sharpe's treated effluent contains arsenic at concentrations that exceed the new effluent limitation of 10 µg/L that becomes effective on 23 January 2006. DDJC-Sharpe is currently testing existing percolation ponds and potential new pond locations on their facility to change from surface water disposal to land disposal of their effluent. This Time Schedule Order extends the compliance date for arsenic to 23 January 2009, so DDJC-Sharpe can complete percolation pond testing and construct any new ponds or conveyance systems that are needed to discharge all treated groundwater to land.

ISSUES: This item is uncontested.

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt the proposed order.

Mgmt. Review\_\_\_\_\_

Legal Review\_\_\_\_\_

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